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PETER PARKER: THE SPECTACULAR SPIDER-MAN®

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I just got here! WHAT'S GOING ON?!

A ROGUE S.H.I.E.L.D. DIVISION IS CHASING DOWN PETER PARKER'S LONG-LOST MAYBE SORTA KINDA SISTER, TERESA!

Wait. Why are we yelling?

BECAUSE THERE'S SO MUCH ACTION IN THIS COMIC I CAN HARDLY CONTAIN MY EXCITEMENT, CURIOSITY, AND ANXIETY! ALSO, WHAT'S THIS ABOUT PETER PARKER'S SISTER?!

Long story short, Peter may or may not have a sister who's a S.H.I.E.L.D.-trained superspy!

Oh, wow! Being SUPER must just run in the Parker family!

And so does knowing that with great power, there must also come great responsibility! When her S.H.I.E.L.D. unit started illegally collecting data on the weaknesses of heroes and villains alike, Teresa stole the info and went on the run!

But where could she possibly hide from an organization like S.H.I.E.L.D.?!

With her wall-crawling, web-slinging brother, of course! And, thankfully, he's got a lead about how they've been able to track her down…

I sense a "but" coming.

…BUT he'll have to sit down for an EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW –

No.

– WITH HIS GREATEST ENEMY –

Say it's not –

J. JONAH JAMESON!

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IT'S *LASAGNA*, BY THE WAY.

DAILY BUGLE
JAMESON STEPS DOWN

HM?

UH... SURE.

WHY ARE WE... WHAT'S WITH THE *FEEDING* ME? MY *SPIDER-SENSE* CAN DETECT POISON, YOU KNOW.

"SPIDER-SENSE"! YOU'VE ALWAYS NAMED THINGS LIKE YOU'RE A CHILD!

OLD REPORTER'S TRICK. FEED THE SUBJECT, THEY *RELAX* MORE, OPEN UP.

YEAH, WELL, NO CHANCE OF THAT.

DRINK?

I DON'T DRINK.

HNH. THERE GOES THE *ORIGINAL* REPORTER'S TRICK.

WHAT?

NOTHING. READY?

UH, AS READY AS I'LL EVER BE.

CLIK

ALL RIGHT THEN...

MARVEL COMICS PRESENTS

MY DINNER WITH JONAH

BY ZDARSKY, WALSH, HERRING & LANHAM

THIS IS *INSANE.* ALL I WANT IS INFORMATION ABOUT *TERESA DURAND.* JUST GIVE ME WHAT YOU KNOW, JONAH, SO I CAN *GO.*
NOT A CHANCE, YOU SPANDEXED FREAK.

THE *DEAL* IS, YOU GIVE ME AN *HOUR* FOR A NO-HOLDS-BARRED, J. JONAH JAMESON *EXCLUSIVE* INTERVIEW, AND I'LL TELL YOU WHAT I KNOW! *AND* I PROMISE TO *NOT* WRITE ABOUT YOU FOR *ONE YEAR*--
--ON MY *HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL BLOG* THAT'S *SHAKING UP* THE INDUSTRY, *THREATSANDMENACES.COM!*

CALM DOWN, YOU BUG-BRAINED FREAK!

FORGET IT! I'LL *NEVER* CALM DOWN!

I'LL TELL YOU WHAT I KNOW! BUT YOU *HAVE* TO *HONOR* OUR *DEAL!*

...FINE. START TALKING.

ALL RIGHT. SO...

TERESA DURAND, AN EX-S.H.I.E.L.D. AGENT, *STOLE* CLASSIFIED MATERIAL.

AN *ASSOCIATE* AND I RECEIVED TIPS THAT *WHAT* SHE STOLE WAS INFORMATION ON HOW TO DEFEAT A HOST OF SO-CALLED "SUPER HEROES" AND SUPER VILLAINS.

YEAH, I ALREADY *KNOW* THIS. DID YOU EVER THINK THAT SOMEONE WANTED TO *LEAK* THAT SO SUPER-POWERED CHARACTERS WOULD CATCH HER, OR WORSE?

EVERY SOURCE HAS THEIR REASONS--

--BUT *MY* JOB IS TO VERIFY THAT THE *INFO* IS *REAL.*

SO, WE STARTED WORKING ON *HOW* THIS COULD HAVE HAPPENED IN THE *FIRST* PLACE. THE SOURCE TOLD US THE MAJORITY OF INFORMATION WAS OF A *TECHNICAL* NATURE, SO WHERE DID S.H.I.E.L.D. GET THAT? WHAT WAS THE EASIEST, MOST *LOGICAL* PLACE?

I DON'T KNOW. SOME SORT OF OFFICIAL HANDBOOK?

UNBELIEVABLE! *JOKES,* EVEN WHEN YOU'VE *ASKED ME* FOR *HELP!*

WE'VE DISCOVERED THERE'S A MAN WHO SUPPLIES TECHNOLOGY TO *VILLAINS:* PHINEAS MASON, *THE TINKERER.*

YEAH, I *KNOW* HIM. YOU *KNOW* I KNOW HIM. HE'S ONE OF *MY* BAD GUYS, STUPID.

BUT HE HAS A *BROTHER. HOPHNI* MASON, A.K.A. *THE MASON.* THE SO-CALLED "SUPER HEROES" USE *HIS* SERVICES.

AGAIN, I *KNOW* THIS. I'M A *SUPER HERO,* NO MATTER *WHAT* YOU SEEM TO THINK OF ME.

ALSO, THIS LASAGNA IS *REALLY* GOOD.

WOULD YOU KNOW IF ANYTHING *HAPPENED* TO THE MASON RECENTLY?

I...HE... HIS *LAB* WAS JUST DESTROYED... BY HIS...

...BROTHER...

AND YOU *DIDN'T* THINK ANYTHING WAS *WEIRD* ABOUT THAT?

I--I'VE NEVER HAD A *BROTHER!* MAYBE--MAYBE DESTROYING EACH OTHER'S SECRET LAIR IS SOMETHING BROTHERS--

THE TINKERER HAS BEEN *STEALING* SUPER HERO DATA FROM HIS BROTHER AND HAS *SOLD* IT TO S.H.I.E.L.D. ALONG WITH HIS *OWN* DATA ON "SUPER VILLAINS"!

AND *NOW* THAT THE #$%@ HAS HIT THE *FAN,* HE'S *DESTROYING* HIS TRACKS, YOU *IDIOT!*

OH MY GOD, THIS IS ALL TINKERER'S FAULT! HOW DID I MISS--

BUT WAIT... WHAT DO THE PHONES HAVE TO DO WITH ANY--

HEY! WHERE DO YOU THINK YOU'RE GOING?

TO FIGHT CRIME! TO STALK THE NIGHT!

NO CHANCE. YOU MADE A DEAL, PAL. IF YOU CRAWL OUT OF HERE, YOU'LL HAVE PROVED EVERYTHING I'VE SAID ABOUT YOU TO BE RIGHT! YOU'RE AN UNTRUSTWORTHY MENACE!

I CAN'T BELIEVE I'M DOING THIS.

FINE.

YOU HAVE ONE HOUR, JONAH. A DEAL'S A DEAL.

WHO ARE YOU?

NICE TRY.

HMPH.

WHY DO YOU *DO* THIS? IS IT SOME SICK *THRILL*, RUNNING AROUND IN YOUR TIGHT COSTUME, *MASKED*, MESSING UP PEOPLE'S DAYS?

JUST YOURS, JONAH. IT'S ALWAYS BEEN *JUST YOUR* DAYS THAT I *YEARN* TO MESS UP. *YOU* ARE MY *EVERYTHING.*

CUT THE WISECRACKS! YOU PROMISED AN *INTERVIEW*, YOU--

LOOK. YOU WANT THE *REAL* REASON?

I...WHEN I WAS YOUNG, SOMEONE CLOSE TO ME DIED. IT WAS A SENSELESS...*RANDOM*... ACT OF VIOLENCE. BUT I *COULD HAVE* STOPPED IT AND I *DIDN'T.*

SO, YEAH. I *DO THIS* BECAUSE I CAN'T LET THAT HAPPEN AGAIN. I DO THIS TO *SAVE* PEOPLE.

BULL. YOU'RE A *CLOWN.* YOU *ENDANGER* AS MANY PEOPLE AS YOU *"SAVE"!* I WAS THERE FROM THE *BEGINNING!* I KNOW WHAT YOU *ARE, "AMAZING SPIDER-MAN"!*

WHAT ARE YOU--DO YOU EVEN *KNOW* HOW CRAZY YOU SOUND RIGHT NOW?

I WAS *THERE--*

"--IN THE AUDIENCE, THE FIRST TIME YOU WERE ON TV. I'D NEVER SEEN ANYTHING *LIKE* IT. I'LL ADMIT IT...

"...'THE *AMAZING SPIDER-MAN'* WAS AMAZING.

"I'LL NEVER TELL ANYONE ELSE, BUT THERE IT IS. YOU WERE A GREAT PERFORMER.

"YOU'RE AN *ENTERTAINER.* AND YOU SHOULD HAVE *STAYED* THAT WAY."

SHOULD HAVE STAYED A *TV CLOWN.* BUT YOU CHOSE TO BE A *JOKEY VIGILANTE,* ANSWERABLE TO *NO ONE,* FOR *KICKS!* SOME CHEESY COSTUME, AND THAT *MASK!*

SSSSSSSHH. FOR ONCE... PLEASE...

THE MASK OF A *COWARD.*

THAT'S *NOT FAIR!* I WEAR THIS MASK TO PROTECT MY *LOVED ONES!* IF MY IDENTITY EVER GOT OUT, THEY'D--

HOGWASH! COPS DON'T WEAR MASKS! *THEY* DEAL WITH THE *CONSEQUENCES* OF THEIR ACTIONS! LIKE *REAL HEROES!*

YOU WEAR IT SO YOU DON'T HAVE TO *ANSWER* TO ANYONE!

BUT YOU HAVE TO ANSWER TO *ME!* TO *J. JONAH JAMESON!* AND THE *CITY I LOVE!*

I KEEP YOU *IN LINE!*

MY *BLOG* KEEPS YOU IN--

THWIP

--LINE...

YOU...

YOU--

TAK

DAILY BUGLE

SCORPION & SPIDER-MAN ON THE LOOSE

--IDIOT! KEEP ME IN *LINE?!* YOU'VE TRIED TO *KILL ME!* MULTIPLE *TIMES!*

"YOUR VENDETTA IS SICK! IN TRYING TO *MURDER ME*, YOU CREATED THE *SPIDER-SLAYER!* THE *SCORPION!*

"YOU THINK I'VE LIVED WITHOUT *CONSEQUENCES?!* FRIENDS HAVE *DIED!* FAMILY HAVE *DIED!* BUT I'VE SAVED MORE PEOPLE THAN I CAN *COUNT!*

"AND YOU?

"YOU'RE JUST A PATHETIC *OLD MAN* WHO'S *WASTING* HIS *LIFE* TRYING TO *STOP ME* FROM *HELPING OTHERS!* AND NOW, INSTEAD OF USING A *NEWSPAPER*, YOU'RE HOLED UP IN YOUR APARTMENT ON A *BLOG!* A BLOG WITH NO COMMENTS AND NO READERS!"

"I'M--I'M *HELPING!* HELPING THE *CITY!*"

"HOW?!"

BY HOLDING YOU ACCOUNTABLE!!! BY TAKING OFF THAT #$@%#& MASK!!!

...

WHAT DOES IT EVEN MATTER TO YOU?

I'M NOT THE ONE BEING INTERVIEWED, YOU CRETIN.

I DON'T CARE. THIS...THING BETWEEN US HAS GONE ON LONG ENOUGH, JONAH. WHY, OF EVERYTHING IN THE WORLD, IS *THIS* YOUR MISSION?

...YOU KNOW, YEARS AGO--DECADES, REALLY--I WAS MUGGED.

I WAS GOING TO FIGHT BACK, BUT THE GIRL I WAS DATING AT THE TIME SAID ***NOT*** TO.

SHE WAS RIGHT, BUT STILL. I SURE WOULD'VE ***LIKED*** TO. HE--

FOR ONCE... PLEASE...LISTEN TO ME...

--HE WORE A ***MASK***. I ALWAYS REMEMBER WHAT WAS GOING THROUGH MY HEAD, SEEING THAT.

"YOU COWARD.

"YOU DAMN COWARD."

I USED TO THINK MAYBE I WAS JEALOUS OF YOU, DEEP DOWN.

I SOMETIMES THOUGHT ABOUT HOW YOU'D INSPIRE KIDS TO DO WHAT YOU DO, LEADING THEM TO THEIR *DEATHS.*

THERE'S YOUR WANTON DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY, ALL WHILE YOU'D CRACK WISE.

SO MANY REASONS TO HATE YOU. BUT REALLY...

...IT'S *THIS.* THAT *MASK.* THAT *COWARDLY MASK.*

YOU COULD HAVE JOINED THE *POLICE,* THE *ARMY.* HELPED PEOPLE, SHOWN *TRUE COURAGE* AND *SELFLESSNESS* AS A PART OF AN *INSTITUTION--*

HA! THAT'S *RICH* COMING FROM *YOU!*

"YOU BECAME *MAYOR!* AND WHAT WAS THE FIRST THING YOU *DID?* FORMED AN *ANTI-SPIDER-MAN TASK FORCE!**

"YOU COULD HAVE DONE *ANYTHING!* HELPED *ANYONE!* AND YOU CHOSE TO *THROW AWAY MONEY* ON "GETTING" ME!

"YOU'VE ALWAYS BEEN THE SAME! NOTHING EVER CHANGES WITH YOU, *JONAH!* NO MATTER WHAT I DO, YOU CAN'T ACCEPT THAT I'M ONE OF THE *GOOD GUYS!"*

*AMAZING SPIDER-MAN #592. --ED.

TALKING TO YOU IS LIKE TALKING TO A BRICK WALL WITH A *BAD MOUSTACHE!*

THIS IS *DONE.*

I *DID* ACCEPT THAT YOU WERE A HERO! AND *THEN* WHAT DID YOU DO?

YOU *BLACKMAILED ME!* INTO GIVING YOU *CITY PROPERTY!*

OH FOR--I *TOLD YOU* THAT WAS *DOCTOR OCTOPUS* TAKING *CONTROL OF MY BEAUTIFUL BODY!*

SEE?! EVEN *WITH* YOUR MASK YOU CAN'T *TAKE* RESPONSIBILITY FOR YOUR ACTIONS!

YOU DON'T KNOW THE *FIRST THING* ABOUT *RESPONSIBILITY!*

AHA HAHA HA!

OH. MY. *GOD.* I *WISH* THAT WERE TRUE, JJ! I *REALLY* DO!

LIFE WOULD BE *SO* MUCH EASIER!

LAUGHING... ALWAYS LAUGHING...

...RESPONSIBILITY... MIND CONTROL... CLONES...

IT'S ALL A JOKE TO YOU!!!!

KR-KSH

...WHOA, JONAH, I--I JOKE TO PUT PEOPLE AT EASE, TO *COUNTER* THE MASK I NEED TO WEAR!

I CAN *JUGGLE CARS.* THAT'S *TERRIFYING,* FOR OTHERS *AND* FOR ME. THIS LIFE'S *SCARY* AND *SAD* AND I *HAVE* TO JOKE, 'CAUSE...WHAT'S THE ALTERNATIVE?

I KNOW LIFE'S SCARY AND SAD! AND YOU'RE--WHAT? A *PRETEND CLOWN?* IS THAT WHAT I'M SUPPOSED TO BELIEVE?

YOU'RE! A! COWARD!

OH, GET *OFF* IT!

I *HELP PEOPLE.* YOU HELP *NO ONE.* YOU'RE *TINY.* YOU'RE *WORTHLESS.* IT'S *JUST THAT SIMPLE.*

YOU'VE WASTED YOUR LIFE! YOU'VE GOT *NOTHING,* EXCEPT YOUR *STUPID VENDETTA* AGAINST *ME!*

...LISTEN TO ME... DON'T WASTE ANY MORE OF YOUR LIFE ON HATE...I LOVE...

JONAH...?

JONAH... I DIDN'T... DIDN'T MEAN...

HHH... DON'T YOU... DON'T YOU THINK I...I KNOW...

...THAT I HAVE *NOTHING?*

THAT I'VE L-LOST IT ALL?

"YOU SAY YOU DO THIS TO SAVE PEOPLE. BUT YOU... YOU COULDN'T SAVE MY WIFE. MY *MARLA.**

"*ALISTAIR SMYTHE*, THE MAN WHO KILLED HER, DID IT BECAUSE OF *ME*. AND I LIVE WITH THAT. *EVERY DAY.*

"BUT SHE CAME BACK. A MIRACLE. A *CLONE*. AND I LOST HER *ALL OVER AGAIN.***

"YOU SAY YOU DO THIS TO *SAVE* PEOPLE. BUT YOU DON'T. PEOPLE STILL *DIE*, DON'T THEY?

"I KNOW I'M NOT SUPPOSED TO HATE ANYMORE... IT'S *KILLING ME*...

"...BUT IT'S ALL I'VE GOT NOW. ALL I'VE...ALL I'VE GOT IS *YOU*. TO P-PROVE IT HASN'T ALL BEEN FOR NOTHING. TO HOLD YOU... ACCOUNTABLE..."

*AMAZING SPIDER-MAN VOL.1 #654. --ED.

**DEAD NO MORE: THE CLONE CONSPIRACY #5. --ED.

M-MY FATHER IS DEAD! MY DAUGHTER IS DEAD! THE *BUGLE*, THE *ONLY THING* WORTH A *DAMN* IN THIS WORLD, HAS R-REJECTED ME!

MY WIFE IS DEAD!

MY WIFE IS DEAD...

JONAH!

PLEASE--

I-INTERVIEW'S OVER! I'VE GOT-- GOT NOTHING IN MY LIFE NOW! YOU WIN--

JONAH, I--

GET OUT!!!

SMAK

NO! I--

G-GET OUT.. PLEASE...

I'M TIRED OF THIS GAME. IT'S GONE ON *TOO* LONG, AND YOU'RE...YOU'RE *FAMILY*. YOU *THINK* NOBODY CARES ABOUT YOU, BUT I DO.

I CARE.

YOU THINK YOU'RE ALONE?

WHAT ARE Y--

YOU'RE NOT.

PA...PARKER? IS THIS...SOME SORT OF JOKE?

NO JOKE, JJ.

NOW YOU KNOW. MY AUNT MAY... I COULD NEVER--

Y-Y-YOU'RE SPIDER--

YEAH, JONAH. I'M SPIDER-MAN.

IT WAS MY UNCLE BEN I LET DIE, BACK WHEN I WAS "THE AMAZING SPIDER-MAN." HE'S WHY I DO THIS.

HE *WAS*. NOW I DO IT BECAUSE IT'S *RIGHT*. I'M BEGGING YOU NOW, JONAH, TO LOOK PAST THE MASK AND SEE THE *MAN*.

THE MAN YOU'VE KNOWN ALL THESE YEARS, WHO STOOD WITH YOU WHEN YOUR FATHER MARRIED MY AUNT. YOU AND I...WE'VE GONE THROUGH SO MUCH TOGETHER.

I TOLD YOU I DO THIS TO SAVE LIVES. AND IF TELLING YOU THIS, *BREAKING* THIS CYCLE, HELPS SAVE YOURS, I--

--DID YOU... DID YOU TELL THE WORLD THAT I'D *BE* HERE TONIGHT?

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INTERVIEW OF THE CENTURY!

JONAH GRILLS SPIDER-MAN OVER HIS CRIMES IN A ONE-ON-ONE INTERVIEW AT T&M HQ! TONIGHT!

KNOK KNOK KNOK KNOK

I...I WAS PROMOTING THE...THE INTER--

UNBELIEVABLE!!!

MR. JAMESON? IT'S THE FBI. WE JUST WANT TO TALK.

JONAH! SNAP OUT OF IT!

I *KNOW* THIS IS A LOT TO DUMP ON YOU AND THEN LEAVE, BUT I *HAVE* TO GO! SOMEONE MAY BE IN DANGER!

REMEMBER, I'M *TRUSTING* YOU WITH THIS!

TRUSTING...

KRA-KRNCH

MR. JAMESON!

BACK *AWAY* FROM THE *DOOR!*

HE'S *GONE*, SIR. BUT IF HE'S ON HIS OWN, THAT MEANS--

TRUSTING...

--YOU'LL HAVE NO RESISTANCE ADVANCING ON *TARGET TWO.*

MAN, I DON'T KNOW WHAT CAME OVER ME. I'VE *NEVER* SEEN JJ LIKE THAT BEFORE. HE JUST SEEMED SO... *BROKEN.*

I JUST WANTED HIM TO FEEL LIKE HE DIDN'T HAVE TO *HATE* ANYMORE...

HAVE TO DEAL WITH HIM *LATER.* FOR NOW, I BETTER CHECK IN ON *TERESA.*

IF *AGENTS* ARE COMING TO *JAMESON'S* PLACE, THEY'RE SURELY COMING TO *PETER PARKER'S,* SINCE HE'S *EMPLOYED* SPIDER-MAN!

AND IF THEY *BUST IN* LIKE THEY DID AT *JONAH'S,* I BETTER NOT HAVE MY *SPIDEY* STUFF IN THERE AT THE TIME!

I'VE GOTTA CONVINCE *TERESA* TO LEAVE THE CITY--

--BEFORE ANYTHING TERRIBLE HAPPENS.

CLIK

--JUST ARRIVED, SIR...

GIVE US THE GO-AHEAD AND WE'LL TAKE IN *PARKER.*

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